

THE TOWNS AROUND.

LYNDONVILLE.

Lecture by F. R. Robinson.
The third entertainment of the Lecture Course, was an illustrated lecture by Hon. F. R. Robinson last Friday evening. Subject, "The Philippines." The lecture more than met the expectations of the audience, and was very instructive as well as interesting as it gave the people an excellent idea of the country and its people, and stimulated a desire to know more yet about both. The views were as good as any, if not the best, ever seen here, and Mr. Robinson has a very pleasing way of explaining them.

It is reported that Robert Broadbelt who went to Pueblo, Colorado a few weeks ago is very ill with fever in a hospital at that place.

Claud Chapman's engine run over sixteen sheep near Melrose last week.

W. G. German has been spending a few days with W. N. Webb. Mr. German was recently arrested in Springfield, Mass., on the charge of larceny, but has since clearly proved himself not guilty. Mr. German worked as clerk in Webb's Hotel for about five years and has many friends who are pleased to see him here once more.

"The Brownies in Fairyland" come to St. Johnsbury, Dec. 21 and 22. Don't miss them.

A. B. Gibson of Barnston, P. Q., is visiting friends in town.

Rev. and Mrs. E. V. Stevens and family spent Sunday in Glover.

Miss Winnie Libbey entertained several of her girl friends at a party last Friday afternoon and evening.

Letters patent have been taken out for labels for Kow-Kure, by the Dairy Association.

F. C. Steele has moved into Fred Gorham's house on Main street.

Miss Blanche Conner has given up her school for the winter and will work for her brother in the creamery office.

Mrs. Fred Stoddard and daughters have been spending a few days in Springfield, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Strong have returned from a visit at Waterbury.

Mrs. C. M. Darling is still very ill. Her fever has let her, but she is very weak, and has many friends feel much alarmed at her condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clark, Jr., open a dancing school this evening.

Miss Margaret Robinson has been visiting Miss Helen Warren at Fairlee. Maude Hurst and Ruth Butler have been spending a few days with Mrs. W. H. Child at Fairlee.

E. D. Libbey has commenced work for the Dairy Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ball of Lebanon have been visiting relatives.

Adelbert Eaton of Boston spent Thanksgiving with his sister, Mrs. G. M. Campbell.

Miss J. A. Benoit of St. Johnsbury has been visiting her cousin, Miss Delina Beau regard.

Robert Child has moved from Park avenue to Mrs. Henry Mower's house on Center street.

Miss Daisy Powers is clerking in H. L. Parker's jewelry store during the holidays.

Miss Sadie Ayers has recovered from typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Wilson spent Thanksgiving week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Wilson.

For Over Fifty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. It is a safe, reliable, and effective remedy for all the troubles of teething, such as fever, inflammation, and crying. It is a household necessity for every mother. It is sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

LYNDON CENTER.

Schools Commence.

Luther Hatch of Utica has been engaged to teach the grammar school at the Institute this term, which begins next Monday. The other schools in town began last Monday with several changes in the outside school. The village schools are taught by the same teachers, as are Pudding Hill, East Village and Red Village. Cold Hill is taught by Miss Mattie Streeter; Squabble Hollow, Miss Mary Hazel; Egypt, Miss Flossie Gilbert; Mount Hunger, Miss Elva Kimball; East Lyndon, Miss Elgie Willey.

Thea Powers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Powers was hit with a snow ball while at school last Monday and was rendered unconscious for about 20 minutes, and has since been quite ill.

L. B. Harris returned from Boston Friday.

Mrs. George Dresser has moved to Berlin.

Miss Lilla D. Carpenter went to Boston last week and from there will go to Wilmington, N. J., to spend the winter with relatives and study music.

Walter H. Meyers of Highlandville, Mass., has been spending a few days at E. M. Campbell's.

The village school commenced Monday in the old schoolhouse, as the new one was not quite ready. It is expected it will be ready for use next Monday.

Ernest Garland returned to his school in Hardwick Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid hold a sociable in the vestry Thursday afternoon and evening. Supper served from six to eight, to be followed by a short entertainment.

Mrs. George Kent and children have moved to Cold Hill and H. Ingerson will move into the house vacated by her.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ingalls and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Ingalls started for Florida last Monday. They were joined at New York by Miss Mary Sanborn who will spend the winter with them.

Zinc and Gilding Make

Devot Lead and Zinc Paint wear twice as long as lead and oil mixed by hand.

LYNDON.

Another Sudden Death.

Quickly following the death of Lacombe at Speedwell Farms a week ago Sunday from wood alcohol poisoning, comes another in this place, apparently from the same cause. Spencer Giroux, a painter, about 30 years old, employed in Grant's paint shop at Hadleyville, was found dead last Wednesday morning. He was at work alone during the day Tuesday and Mrs. Grant, happening to go in during the day, noticed that he appeared ill. She advised him to lock up the shop and go home. As he did not arrive at home at Lyndonville at the usual time his wife became alarmed and went down to the shop but found it locked and thought he had gone away. John Bradshaw went to the shop the next morning about 6 o'clock and stumbled over the dead body of Giroux which lay near the stove, and an examination revealed the fact that he must have been dead several hours. Giroux was married five months ago and came from Lennoxville.

Charles Hoyt and his granddaughter, Rose Brown, went Saturday to Barre to spend a few days visiting Mr. Hoyt's son Joe and family.

Mrs. Sweet and Murray spent Thanksgiving day at Sam Stoddard's at East Barre.

Wells Quimby and wife went to Concord for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Little and child went to Gratton, N. H., for a Thanksgiving visit.

The Congregational Society held a book social in their vestry last Friday evening. There was a good program of readings and songs and about \$110 worth of new Sunday school library books were on exhibition.

Boston Herald.

We presume that there are some people in New England who do not see The Boston Herald from day to day, or from Sunday to Sunday. It should be a matter of regret, however, that so good a newspaper is not a part of the reading matter which finds its way into the family of every intelligent citizen of New England. The character of the paper is such as to commend itself to people of refinement and culture—a really high class publication. In its editorial page are discussed all the topics of the day. Its new pages team with the latest stories of the world's doings. Its department experts contribute the brightest thought in special lines. The Boston Herald is also an illustrated newspaper—in the true sense of the word, in contradistinction to the paper with pictures. There never has been so good a newspaper in New England as the Boston Herald, and no New England home should be without it. It is sold by all newsdealers, and an order to have it delivered at your home will meet with a quick response if sent to the local agent.

BARNET.

The Ladies' Aid society of Barnet Center will hold their annual sale and chicken pie supper at the new vestry Friday afternoon and evening, Dec. 14. All cordially invited.

The temperance concert given by the children last Sunday evening was very good and well attended.

John Wallace spent last Sunday with friends in St. Johnsbury.

N. T. Bolton had eleven nice lambs killed by the north-bound accommodation train Saturday just below the depot and came very near being run over himself.

The Monroe Grange will hold their fair and sale at their hall Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wekspant Thanksgiving with their daughter Ruth at North Haverhill.

The schools commenced last Monday with Jean Duncan and Jennie Gibson as teachers.

Miss Nellie Hall spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. R. W. Laird.

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Dandruff the Cause of Baldness.

Dandruff has been found to be the cause of baldness by several eminent dermatologists. Therefore, it is important that it should be cured as soon as it appears. No recent preparation has scored such a wonderful success as Royal Dandruff Cure, which cures dandruff instantly, cures the fall of hair and promotes a vigorous new growth. Price 50 cts. per bottle, no cure, no pay. J. A. STANTON, druggist.

SOUTH CABOT.

C. M. Lambertson and wife visited friends in Montpelier the past week.

Several from this place attended the Colgrove-Houghton wedding at East Cabot Friday evening.

N. M. Boudrie and wife of Marshfield, Wis., is visiting at C. B. Boudrie's.

Mrs. Elva Scribner of East Calais is visiting her daughter Mrs. V. D. Blake.

The Misses Elva and Roscoe Boudrie visited Mrs. D. A. Blain at West Barnet last week.

D. A. Blain and wife of West Barnet visited in this place Thursday.

A Raging, Roaring Flood

Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles. Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by Flint Bros. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

RYEGATE.

The social at W. H. Nelson's last week was well attended and all had a very enjoyable time.

Mrs. William Thompson is spending the week with her brother, W. H. Taylor, in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Symes spent a few days in Concord last week.

Mrs. J. A. McLam returned from Nashua, Wednesday.

Willie Thompson shipped a fine load of hogs, on Monday.

Mrs. Dr. Beattie spent last week with her mother, Mrs. M. S. Beattie.

Stops the Cough

and works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

PASSUMPSIC.

Thanksgiving Social.

The attendance upon the social given at the vestry Thanksgiving evening was the largest in a long time, so large as to make it necessary to open the main audience room. After the people were gathered, pastor Meacham offered prayer, the company sang America after which Rev. E. D. Mason, in behalf of the assembled company, presented to Rev. Mr. Meacham a very nice fur overcoat. Mr. Mason's remarks were very timely and excellent and expressed in well chosen words the appreciation and affection of the community for the pastor. Mr. Meacham was taken completely by surprise, but his reply was given in his usual happy manner. After the presentation, the chairman announced that the supper was to be what is known as a conundrum supper, and explained the nature of it. The reading of the conundrums and their answers caused much merriment, as well as the ordering from bills of fare also in conundrums. Altogether the affair was one of the pleasantest held for a considerable time.

Wedding Anniversary.

The forty-third wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Stevens was celebrated at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Willis Barker Saturday December 1st. The piazzas were illuminated with Chinese lanterns and every room in the house brightly lighted, thus presenting a cheering appearance when the guests arrived. It was a very nice home party and greatly enjoyed by all present. Rev. C. D. R. Meacham, in his happy manner presented the gifts which consisted of a center table and rooker of antique oak and a beautiful parlor lamp also numerous other articles from individual friends. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens both responded to the presentation showing by their remarks how deeply grateful they felt to their friends for the good will and generosity they had shown. Cake and coffee were served and the evening spent in a pleasant social way and made more enjoyable by the music both vocal and instrumental. The bridegroom handled the bow in a manner which almost deceived those present into thinking it his first rather than the 43rd anniversary of his wedding. A poem written by Mrs. Barker on the occasion, was read by Mrs. Meacham. Among others from out of town were several friends and neighbors from Danville and St. Johnsbury. The guests left at a late hour with the wish that they might be present to help celebrate their golden wedding.

Miss Williamson of Barton is spending a few days at S. A. Deau's.

William Sparrow and his brother Fred returned here on Friday last from North-western Canada where Fred has been very ill. They left Monday night for Boston where they will take boat on Wednesday for England where their parents reside. William will be much missed here as he is an excellent singer, and was also of great help in the band. We hope he will return here next spring.

Rev. C. D. R. Meacham is in Newport this week visiting relatives.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm Cures Others, Why Not You?

My wife has been using Chamberlain's Pain Balm, with good results, for a lame shoulder that has pained her continually for nine years. We have tried all kinds of medicines and doctors without receiving any benefit from any of them. One day we saw an advertisement of this medicine and thought of trying it, which we did with the best of satisfaction. She has used only one bottle and her shoulder is almost well.—ADOLPH L. MILETT, Manchester, N. H. For sale by all drug gists.

NORTH DANVILLE.

A. J. Russell of Randolph has been visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Russell has been visiting here for several weeks. They expect to return to Randolph the last of the week.

H. W. Varum and family of Burlington spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Varum's brother, J. B. Stanton.

George C. Richardson and family are moving to Judge Roger's farm at Wheelock. We are sorry to have them leave the place.

Mr. Merchant from St. Johnsbury is moving onto the Gile farm, vacated by Mr. Richardson.

Mrs. W. Langmaid has returned from Nebraska where she went a few weeks since to accompany her children.

The Ladies Aid meet this afternoon and evening with Mrs. J. D. Waldron.

The village school began Monday with Mr. Ranney of Sheffield and Miss Flood of St. Johnsbury teachers.

Job Couldn't Have Stood It

If he'd had Iching Piles, They're terribly annoying; but Bucklen's Arnica salve will cure the worst case of Piles on earth. It has cured thousands. For injuries, Pains or Bodily Eruptions it's the best salve on earth. Price 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Flint Bros., druggists.

DANVILLE.

Dr. O. E. Carter has been appointed consulting physician to Brightlook Hospital at St. Johnsbury.

W. O. Stratton spent Thanksgiving at Wolcott.

Mrs. Stratton returned with him and is stopping at Aaron Smith's.

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Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills, Bilio-ness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate, 25c.

WELLS RIVER.

Assistant Deputy Head Consul S. J. Pierce, of St. Johnsbury, is in town instituting a camp of the Modern Woodmen of America.

WEST WATERFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Ladd and family spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Ladd's mother, Mrs. Stockwell, at Concord; Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lawrence, with his brother in Lebanon, returning Saturday; and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hovey with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wark at Passumpsic.

E. H. Grover

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

LUNENBURG.

Merrill Davison with his family came from St. Johnsbury to spend Thanksgiving.

Rev. Daniel Onstall gave the third lecture in the Woman's Club course Monday evening. His subject was "The Battle of Waterloo." He lectured here two years ago and is pleasantly remembered by many.

Miss Mertie Davison spent a few days with her family last week.

Frank Bowler and wife spent Thanksgiving in Groveton.

Mr. Fallows, who had his leg cut so badly a few weeks ago, is slowly recovering.

Miss Lena Severance of East St. Johnsbury returns to teach the winter term of the primary department of the village school.

Miss Hannah Lowrey is spending a short time with relatives.

Martin Burt and Mrs. Cornelius Smith were married last Thursday at Newport.

Charles King and family of Whitefield were in town a part of last week.

The Methodist society will give Rev. Mr. McNeil a donation next Tuesday afternoon and evening.

The sleighing is fast disappearing.

Albert Newman has sold out his interest in their farm to his brother George.

'Tis Easy to Feel Good.

Countless thousands have found a blessing to the body in Dr. King's New Life Pills, which positively cure Constipation, Sick Headache, Dizziness, Jaundice, Malaria, Fever and Ague and all Liver and Stomach troubles. Purely vegetable never gripe or weaken. Only 25c at Flint Bros. drug store.

WHEELOCK.

Officers Elected.

Independent Grange elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Master, A. Craig; overseer, Dr. S. A. Jones; secretary, Mrs. A. Craig; steward, J. G. Hodgdon; assistant steward, C. H. Mathewson; chaplain, G. L. Gerry; treasurer, A. F. Emerson; secretary, Mrs. A. F. Emerson; G. T. E. C. Mathewson; Ceres, Carrie Mathewson; Pomona, Florence King; Flora, Grace Jenness; L. A. S. Mrs. Dr. Jones; organist, Mrs. J. King; delegate to State Grange, E. C. Mathewson.

There was a large crowd at the promenade at the town hall Thursday night. Over 100 tickets were sold.

Mrs. Will Aldrich lost a new cloak at the hall Thursday night.

Miss Emma Atkins from Brownington is visiting at A. Craig's.

David City, Neb., April 1, 1900.

Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.: Gentlemen—I must say in regard to GRAIN-O that there is nothing better or healthier. We have used it for years. My brother was a great coffee drinker. He was taken sick and the doctor said coffee was the cause of it, and told us to use GRAIN-O. We got a package but did not like it at first, but now would not be without it. My brother has been well ever since we started to use it.

Yours truly, LILLIE SOCHER

EAST CABOT.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Clark spent Thanksgiving in Barre.

Miss Edna Goss is home from her school in St. Johnsbury for a few days.

Bert Kimball has finished work for E. H. Clark and is going to work for the Bickford girls at Peacham.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Frye and sons of Danville and Mr. and Mrs. John White of Ryegate were at Hugh Dunn's Thanksgiving.

Dan Houghton and Miss Carrie Calgrove were married Friday at the residence of S. E. Houghton, Rev. M. Aiken performing the ceremony. About thirty relatives were present.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors—Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. At your grocers, 10 cents.

EAST BARNET.

Miss Hartig exhibited her stereopticon views, taken in the south and west, last Friday evening, in the chapel. There was not a very full house, but those that were there enjoyed it very much.

The Roy Brothers have commenced on their croquet orders. Bertha Robinson is the only painter yet.

School commenced Monday. Miss Helen Harriman from St. Johnsbury is the teacher. Ruth Hoyt teaches in the Brook district and Blanche Newman in the Fultord district.

Oliver Woods whose house was burned a few weeks ago, has concluded not to rebuild, but has traded with Harvey Kent for his farm.

GASKILL.

The Ladies' Aid Society will have a social and oyster supper at D. P. Greeley's on Friday evening, December 14. All are cordially invited.

On Tuesday, the 27th, a party of old neighbors and friends of Orin Young met at his home to celebrate his 66th birthday. Among those present were Frank Hutchinson, W. T. Young, Sylvanus Hemmingsway, and others. The evening passed pleasantly and the visitors departed to their homes wishing the host many more happy birthdays. The event will long be remembered with pleasure by all present.



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For every one there is money enough to buy that to eat which is pure, sound, good, wholesome.

Why should we use cheap, impure, unhealthful articles of food? There is no economy in them; they endanger the health, they may cost life. There are reported almost daily cases of sickness caused by eating cake, puddings or biscuit made with the cheap, alum baking powders.

In all articles for food buy and use only the best. The good health of the family is of first consideration.

Alum is used in many baking powders because it makes them cheap. It costs less than two cents a pound. Alum is a corrosive poison. Think of feeding it to children! Yet the manufacturers of well-known alum powders are actually denying that their goods contain it.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

arrested for a debt of 5,000 florins in Amsterdam and thrown into prison, but subsequently released by a subscription raised by Jews and foreigners to liquidate his debt. A Spanish Jew advanced him 12,000 florins, and in 1738 he unsuccessfully attempted a landing in Corsica. Back again to England, where he received considerable sympathy and support, he was again seized for debt and cast into the king's bench prison. In prison he offered as a sign of a state of demanor as his surroundings allowed, and received his various visitors with an amount of pomp and ceremony rather ludicrous and pathetic. Here he remained until he was released on his surrendering his kingdom for the benefit of his creditors. On his release he took a chair to the house of the Portuguese Minister, but he being away from home, and King Theodore not having the wherewithal to pay for his conveyance requested the chairman to carry him to the house of a tailor in Soho, which was done. The man of scissors and cloth paid the fare and gave the pauper king shelter. Theodore was taken ill the next day, and died three days later without a sixpence in his pocket. Horace Walpole, who had done him many acts of kindness during his life, raised a subscription to bury him, and composed his epitaph. Smollett describes his person and character in Ferdinand Count Fathom. The original mural tablet has been made more imposing by the addition of a many membered moulding. The inscription

reads: "Near this place is interred Theodore, king of Corsica, who died in this parish December 11, 1756, immediately after leaving the king's bench prison, by the benefit of the act of insolvency, in consequence of which he registered his kingdom of Corsica for the use of his creditors.

"The grave, great teacher, to a level brings Heroes and beggars, galleys slaves and kings, But Theodore this moral lesson ere dead, Fate poor'd its lessons on his living head. Bestow'd a kingdom, and denied him bread."

Under this monument is one to William Hazlitt, who also finds a resting place in the churchyard.—[London Mail.

They Flirted.

Mrs. Mutsu, whose death has recently been announced, was one of the most attractive women who ever presided at the Japanese legation at Washington. Her end, it is said, was hastened by her sorrow for the death of her husband, which occurred three years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Mutsu were a most devoted couple, and when Mr. Mutsu was stationed at the national capital they were constantly seen together. Asked at an afternoon tea what was Minister Mutsu's favorite ten what was Minister Mutsu's favorite sport, his gentle little wife looked up archly and said: "Oh, madam, my husband he like to flirt best of all things in the world. He think this American sport most adorable. We flirt and flirt all the day long. I flirt with him; he flirt with me.

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